FISCAL NOTE

SB 408 - HB 722

March 4, 1997

SUMMARY OF BILL: Creates the Commission on African American Struggle for Justice, Equality and Opportunity. The Commission shall consist of: one member of the senate; one member of the house of representatives; three historians; one representative of the Tennessee Historical Commission; and three committee members. The Commission shall be attached to the Department of Finance and Administration for administration only. Members of the Commission shall not receive a salary for their services but may receive reimbursement for travel expenses.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

Increase State Expenditures - Exceeds \$100,000

Assumes that permanent staff will be hired to support the Commission in their mission. Costs will include salaries and benefits for support staff, office space, travel and related expenses of the Commission.

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

James A. Davenport, Executive Director

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